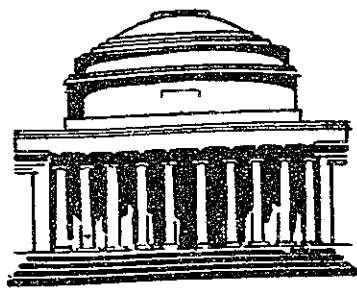


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LIES AND BAD TASTE Voo Doo Sinks To Both

The appearance of Voo Doo's first issue today marks the climax of a trend which has been developing for some time—the replacement of real humor, to which the magazine is supposedly dedicated, with malicious attacks on other organizations at the Institute. For Voo Doo has finally sunk to the low level of printing downright lies and slander, apparently in the hope that such rotten tactics will appeal to the humor of Tech men.

We will cite, as an example, Voo Doo's claim to victory in a beer drinking contest held last Spring between Voo Doo and The Tech. This claim is a lie, the true facts being that The Tech won, the decision being made by impartial judges, agreed on by both sides. Any honest member of the Voo Doo staff will readily admit their defeat.

This example is just one. There is no humor involved. We do not want to appear unable to "take a joke", and certainly we intend to do nothing about slanderous charges of "graft". We have always felt that there should be rivalry between the publications to keep competitive spirit alive—we have probably done our share in this harmless sport.

But when Casselman, Wingard, Vooley, and their stooges have to resort to lies and slander to attract freshmen to the Voo Doo office and to fill up space that should be filled with at least a genuine attempt at humor, we feel sorry for them.

We cannot feel quite as sorry for Casselman & Co., however, when the question of the type of humor in this number comes up. Some parts of the issue are clever and really humorous. However, other parts appear to have come from low class burlesque shows. We do not say that this material is not funny—it has humorous attraction in its own vulgar way—but what we do maintain is that this type of humor is out of place in a supposedly reputable magazine which is presented to the students, faculty, parents, and public as the representative humor of Technology.

For this unpardonable exhibition of bad taste, Voo Doo deserves a well-merited reprimand.

Fraternity Men Monopolize Frosh Council Elections

17 Leadership Positions Won As Dorms Get Only 6; Commutors trail

Freshman council members were elected last Thursday by show of hands during recitation classes from among students nominated earlier in the week. Those receiving the most votes were elected section leaders, and those receiving the next greatest number of votes were made alter

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Frosh Council

Sophomores Win 5 Cabot Medals

Awarded Men Showing Best Physical Gains During Freshman Year

Five members of the class of 1941 are to receive the Cabot Medals, awarded to the men who have shown the greatest improvement in strength and measurements, at the Field Day dinner on the evening of Oct. 28.

Those who are to receive the medals are: Charles W. Hargens, Philadelphia, Penn.; William E. Lamar, Washington, D. C.; William V. Shyne, Norwood; William J. Klaassen, Delft, Netherlands; and Fred H. Witaker, Pen Yan, New York.

Richard K. Henry, Jr., Waltham; Harold Radcliff, Acushnet; Gordon H. Hill, Lowell; Francis A. Regan, Boston; and Clark F. Gray, Pawhuska, Oklahoma, received honorable mention.

The Cabot medals, five in number, are presented through a fund given by Samuel Cabot of the class of 1870.

Committee Nominations Set For Oct. 19 to 27

Nomination blanks for members of the Senior Week and Junior Prom Committees will be available at the Main Lobby on October 19. These blanks must be returned by 5 p.m., October 27, with at least twenty-five signatures of different members of the respective classes.

There will be twenty members elected to the Senior Week Committee and five to the Junior Prom Committee. The Election will be held November 2. All would-be candidates are advised to start rounding up signers for their petitions.

Degrading Humor Magazine Makes First Appearance

False Accounts Clutter Lurid Pages; Challenge Offered To The Tech

Voo Doo, the self-styled "humor publication" made its first appearance of the year today with its annual freshman number, calculated to impress the class of '42 with its sordid humor and scathing remarks.

Following its usual libelous statements, this issue abounds with false implications, especially in connection with its prowess compared to that of THE TECH. The claim that Voo Doo staff defeated THE TECH staff in both a football game and a beer-drinking contest is utterly erroneous, for the score of the football tilt was 12 to 6 in favor of THE TECH and the beer-drinking contest was won by the same publication by the score of 4½ to 3½.

In addition, the Voo Doo had the impudence to extend another challenge.

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Voo Doo

Creamer & Farrell Lead Junior Honorary Society

Officers for the coming year were elected by the members of the Beaver Club, honorary Junior society, at a special meeting last Friday evening at the Copley Square Hotel.

Thomas F. Creamer was elected president; Walter H. Farrell, secretary.

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Beaver Club

Soph Dance Committee Holds Poster Contest

A prize of five dollars cash will be awarded by the Sophomore Dance Committee for the best poster design submitted advertising the dance, it was announced recently by the committee.

Any design may be used by the applicants, provided they stress the fact that the dance is the Sophomore Dance, that it has an orchestra, is to be held at a certain place, and that it will be held on a definite date.

All entries should be submitted to Arnold Mengel, '41, at the Delta Kappa Epsilon house, 403 Memorial Drive, on or before October 24.

Contestants to Dine Field Day

Banquet To Be Held For All Competitors October 28

All members of the classes of 1941 and 1942 who compete in the annual Field Day, the coaches, managers and officials are invited to The Field Day Banquet to be held on the evening of Field Day, October 28 at six o'clock in the Main Hall of Walker Memorial.

Included in the short program which is scheduled to follow the dinner, are several short speeches, and the presentation of the Cabot Medals, awarded to the five members of the class of 1941 who have shown the greatest physical improvement during their freshman year.

The annual banquet has been announced by Thomas F. Creamer, Chairman of Field Day. The dinner and the following program have been shortened to allow those who are attending the Field Day Dance to be on time for the festivities.

The purpose of the banquet is to further Technology spirit, and to join those who have been struggling with each other to gain possession of the coveted Field Day Cup, into a friendly group, combining their erstwhile class spirit into a strong spirit for the Institute as a whole.

T.C.A. Sells Tickets For Harvard-Dartmouth Game

Tickets for the Harvard-Dartmouth game on Saturday afternoon at the stadium will be on sale at the T.C.A. office starting at nine o'clock this morning. The number of tickets available, their sections, and prices are respectively:

68, sec. 52 rows KK-MM, \$3.30
26, sec. 15 rows M-N, \$2.20
26, sec. 20, row VV, \$1.65
83, sec. 45 rows F-K, \$1.10.

Fall Acquaintance Dance Held Friday By Catholic Club

700 Persons Attend Affair, Hear Simmons Girl Sing, Carmody Band Plays

Inaugurating its social season, the Technology Catholic Club held its annual Fall Acquaintance Dance in the Walker Main Hall last Friday evening. Music was ably supplied by Jim Carmody and his twelve piece band.

The dance was not only a social success, but a great financial success

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Catholic Club



Watering of Freshman Precipitates Struggle as Frosh Fight Sophomores

"Give me water" cried a freshman Sunday night and dormitory residents obliged with buckets, wastebaskets, and paper bags filled with that liquid. After the freshman was soaked, a general riot, with about 75 Juniors, Sophomores, and freshmen involved, ensued.

The newcomer crying for water was fulfilling a duty which specified that he go around the dormitory court twice. The first time around he stopped every three steps and called for water. On the second tour he also stopped every three steps, but changed his cry to the proclamation, "I am a freshman rat—I will now reform." Meanwhile upper classmen pelted him with water bags.

Spotlights Illuminate Court

Under the play of several spotlights a banner which displayed a monkey wearing a freshman tie, bearing the

numerals '42, and the inscription "Be kind to dumb animals" was unfurled on the side of the new dormitories. In retaliation a banner saying "To hell with '41" was displayed on the wall of the old dormitories. However, this flag was soon destroyed by fire.

When the water-soaked freshman retired, several Sophomores appeared to taunt the Class of '42. In a short time about 60 members of the two lower classes entered the middle of the court and became involved in a general scrimmage. Soon afterwards about fifteen Juniors arrived to assist the freshmen.

Showers Get Unwilling Entrants

Twenty minutes later the wrestling in the center of the court broke up and the struggle moved inside the dormitories, where the contestants threw each other into the showers.

Perrine Gives Demonstration On Telephony

Noted Physicist Exhibits Giant Loud Speaker In Talk Today

SPONSORED BY C.P.S.

Dr. J. O. Perrine, well known research and operating engineer of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company Laboratories, will bring almost a ton of electrical equipment to Room 10-250 at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon for a lecture-demonstration of various electrical phenomena.

The demonstration is being sponsored by the Combined Professional Societies, and is free to the students and faculty of the Institute

First Telephone Model Exhibited

"Waves, Words, and Wires," as the program has been titled, will feature among other experiments, demonstrations of a working model of Alexander Graham Bell's first telephone, a high quality microphone, a giant loud speaker, tuning forks, cymbals, tambourines, and other sound producing devices.

Assisted on the lecture platform by Mr. Joseph L. Richey, Dr. Perrine will, according to advance publicity, by means of electrical devices, take "speech and music apart, illustrating their characteristics, explaining their

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Dr. Perrine

Orchestra Holds First Rehearsal

S. Seiniger, Violinist With Boston Symphony, Leads Musicians

Under the able conduction of Mr. Samuel Seiniger, violinist in the Boston Symphony Orchestra for the past fifteen years, the M.I.T. student orchestra held its first rehearsal in the East Lounge of Walker Memorial yesterday evening when it played selections from Victor Herbert's "Babes In Toyland" and the Triumphant March from Grieg's "Sigurd Jarsafal."

At the present time the orchestra is composed of only forty members, and lacks any violas, cellos, double basses, oboes and saxophones, which are needed for a balanced effect. While encouraged by the eagerness and cooperation of those who did attend the first rehearsal, Mr. Seiniger expressed the hope that more students would appear for subsequent meetings, especially those who play instruments which are needed.

Mr. Seiniger, who was born in Lithuania, was brought to this country as a child, where he received his education and graduated from Harvard University. He was first asso-

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Orchestra

Drama Club To Present One-Act Play Tonight

A one act play, "The Kite", will be presented by the Drama Club after its dinner tonight in the Grill Room of Walker Memorial.

The cast of the play, written by Holland Hudson, will include Mrs. Walter G. Whitman, Mrs. Hoyt C. Hotel, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Doyle L. Northrup, Miss Eleanor Prescott, Mrs. Wallace M. Ross, Mrs. James R. Jack and Mrs. Marek.

The Drama Club, composed of faculty members and their wives who are interested in amateur dramatics, presents several plays during the school year.

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BETTER HEALTH FOR TECHNOLOGY

The United States Department of Health is at present engaged in fighting our most dangerous and obscure enemies, a disease which afflicts every tenth citizen of this country. In spite of this it has been allowed to thrive and kill until recently without check. Today, for the first time, this disease, syphilis, is being attacked on a nationwide scale.

The Massachusetts State Department of Public Health is willing to supply all necessary analyses free of charge. We feel that Technology should help in this campaign by including blood tests for syphilis and gonorrhea in the regular physical examination of all students. This procedure will safeguard the healthy against infection, and start the afflicted on treatments which will bring about a complete cure in most cases.

Let us help in a worthy campaign to make this country a healthier place to live in.

GRADUATE HOUSE CLOCK

For the past week or more, the clock on the new Graduate Dormitory has been a half hour slow. When that building was operated separately from Technology, we had no control over what their clock said; but taking over the building we took on other responsibilities.

The clock is displayed so it can be easily seen from the bridge, and if it is kept correct it will be of service to students who walk and ride across the river. As it is now, it is more harm than it is good.

At times, the clocks in the class rooms do not check with radio time, but there is no reason why all the clocks in and on our buildings should not read the same time.

JUNIORS

AND SOPHOMORES RIOT

Tradition at Technology has it that the freshman and Sophomore classes should wage a constant and friendly warfare throughout the school year. Tradition further dictates

that the Junior and Senior classes should morally — and only morally — support the freshmen and Sophomores respectively.

In the Dormitories, where the two classes live together in greatest numbers, this struggle is most apparent, and until this year all the classes had strictly adhered to the customs. However, since the first "riot" of this year, a distinct and deplorable deviation from precedent has been noticed. Certain members of the Junior class have repeatedly violated the time-honored rules of interclass warfare by physically assisting the freshmen in their struggles against the Sophomores.

Purpose of these traditions is to teach the incoming class self-reliance. If the Juniors persist in interfering as they have thus far this year, not only will they make themselves liable to accusations of unfairness, but they will also prevent the freshmen from learning how to stand on their own two feet.

SUPPORT

THE PEACE FEDERATION

Further on in these columns is a letter from the Technology Peace Federation, directed primarily at the organizations around the Institute who might be interested in sending either official or unofficial representatives to the Federation meetings.

Before their meeting in 6-120 which included a talk, we predicted that they would either live or die according to the numbers present. They did not fill the lecture hall, but they had a large number of interested people there who not only listened to the lecturer, but discussed the subject after he had finished.

The meetings that do not include speeches may not be interesting for the larger number of the people who attend the lectures, but they are necessary if the organization is to plan and sponsor other programs. Technology is evidently interested in hearing talks on international politics, we hope that it is enthusiastic enough to support them.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor:

Because of a misunderstanding which has arisen in several activity meetings, we feel that a letter of explanation concerning the nature and purpose of the Technology Peace Federation is in order. The preamble of the constitution to be submitted this afternoon can perhaps express this idea as well as possible.

"The purpose of the Technology Peace Federation is to further the cause of peace by promoting interest in the issues involved, and by the dissemination of information pertaining to those issues. The Federation shall be strictly an educative organization, and shall draw no conclusions or resolutions of any kind."

We should like to emphasize that the organization is affiliated with no other group, either at Tech or anywhere else, but is entirely independent. It was formed at the insistence of several Tech organizations following the mass Peace Meeting last year. The Federation will form no policy or plan as to how peace should be accomplished; its only purpose is to discuss and analyze the various proposals.

If any organizations do not wish to, or have not had an opportunity to elect official delegates, we urge them to send unofficial representatives to see exactly what the Technology Peace Federation is trying to accomplish.

JOSEPH HAVENS, President,
 Technology Peace Federation

Dr. Perrine

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component parts and producing an interesting train of experiments which demonstrates the work of the Bell System scientists in their efforts to improve the quality and extend the scope and usefulness of the telephone service."

Loud Speaker to Perform

One of the main attractions of the lecture is the experiments with the huge loud speaker which Dr. Perrine himself has built for his demonstrations. This particular piece of apparatus weighs 600 pounds and is equipped with four separate throats. The high frequency throat, small in size, and preceded by the necessary wave filter, handles frequencies from 2,000 to 9,000 cycles per second. The middle throat and filter has a range from 200 to 5,000 cycles. The two low-pitched throats, large in size, provide frequencies from 50 to 600 cycles.

Catholic Club

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as well. The attendance was well over 700 and Walker Main Hall was filled to capacity from 9 o'clock until 2:00, the duration of the dance. Boys came from Boston University, Tufts, and other nearby colleges. Wellesley, Radcliffe, Jackson and Simmons were well represented among the girls who attended. The highlight of the evening was supplied when a girl from Simmons joined with the band and sang the chorus from "Night and Day."

This dance was Jim Carmody's first appearance at Tech this year and the manner in which he supplied the music will certainly insure his appearance at numerous other dances this year.

The dance committee was made up of Leo Kiley, '39, John Herlihy, '39, Steven Sullivan, '39, and John Mullen, '41. The Dormitory Committee cooperated with the Catholic Club and opened the dormitories to visitors from 7:00 to 11:00 on Friday night.

The turnout for this dance was one of the largest for some number of years and it is hoped that the rest of the dances this year will be supported in a similar manner.

Orchestra

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ciated with the Detroit Symphony Orchestra and later became a member of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, with which organization he has played since 1922. He has conducted the Boston Symphony Pops on several occasions, notably on June 21 of last year when he conducted Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue."

While Mr. Seigner was confident that the orchestra would gradually take shape into a balanced unit, the first performance was marked by top-heavy brass and woodwind sections. Parts were distributed according to priority, and after a few more rehearsals Mr. Seigner hopes to hear the members individually and properly allocate the parts.

At yesterday's meeting the definite time for future rehearsals was decided upon by popular vote, the time picked being from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday evenings. Any student who has not as yet attended the rehearsal or meeting held last week still stands an excellent opportunity to join the orchestra, and those interested are urged to come and demonstrate their ability next Tuesday, October 25.

Beaver Club

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tary; and William S. Kather, treasurer.

The affair was a combined meeting and beer party with last year's members in attendance as well as the fifteen members of the Class of 1940 who are now members of the society.

It was announced at the meeting that ten additional members from the Junior Class are to be elected soon.

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Reviews and Previews

SYMPHONY HALL — The Coolidge String Quartet will appear with the Boston Symphony Orchestra at the third regular pair of concerts next Friday afternoon and Saturday evening. At this time will be given the first public performance of Nicolai Berezowsky's Toccata, Variations, and Finale for String Quartet and Orchestra. The programme will open with Glazounov's Symphonic Poem, "Stenka Razin", based upon the popular Russian story of the 17th century Cossack marauder. The closing number will be the Fourth Symphony of Brahms in E minor. The series of six concerts on Monday evenings and Tuesday afternoons will open October 24-25. Two pairs of concerts are to be conducted by Georges Enesco and Igor Stravinsky.

PLYMOUTH—Opening here tonight is Ina Claire in *Yankee Fable*, Lewis Meltzer's new story of the days of the American Revolution.

Fresh Elections

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nates. A checkup on the list reveals that the fraternities went to town to the tune of seventeen leaders and seven alternates. The dormitories follow with six leaders and seven alternates, and the commuters trail with eleven alternates but only two leaders. These figures are in striking contradistinction to those of last year, when the commuters piled up a huge aggregate of seventeen leaders, dormitories and fraternities standing even at four leaders each. A survey of these statistics may serve to support the contention of many students, namely, that the commuters of the Class of 1941 are an unusually strong and active group.

THE TECH herewith presents the list of freshman council members and their alternates.

Section 1	Gordon P. Brown
	L. Kenneth Rosett
Section 2	Robert W. Keating
	Carl Zeitz
Section 3	Robert G. McAndrew
	Arthur L. Porter
Section 4	Frederick E. Allardt
	Edward O'Brien
Section 5	William G. Denhardt
	Leon Freeman
Section 6	J. Nelson Evoy
	Juan P. Pedretti
Section 7	Kenneth Monroe
	Robert S. Shaw
Section 8	Peter H. Leavell
	Albert F. Clear
Section 9	Kenneth M. Leghorn
	Charles S. Hoffman
Section 10	Carl L. McGinnis
	Robert Boyer
Section 11	Charles F. Bien
	Bernard J. Driscoll
Section 12	George Howe
	Lawson Ott
Section 13	William C. Freeman
	Fred King
Section 14	Barton L. Hakan
	William W. Gavin
Section 15	Jack Singer
	Franklin P. Seeley
Section 16	Jacques Shaw
	Walter Eberhardt
Section 17	George A. Kelly, II
	Franklin M. Cick
Section 18	Charles S. Ricker
	Maxwell Kaplan
Section 19	Edward L. Pepper
	G. R. Clarke
Section 20	William S. Urquhart
	Robert H. Given
Section 21	Arthur W. Knudsen
	John W. Robinson
Section 22	Wendell P. Turner
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Tech Harriers Are Victorious At Mass. State

Cross Country Team Wins Second 1938 Meet At Amherst

DAN CROSBY IS BACK

Outrunning Massachusetts State College 23 to 34, the varsity cross country team earned its first 1938 victory in two starts at Amherst Saturday. Captain Dan Crosby, '40, was back after curing a leg injury which had kept him from the Connecticut State meet on October 5th, but Ed Lemanski, '40, was out with a bad heel.

Crosby and Toolin Are Second
Although Captain Pickard of Mass. State won the grueling race, Crosby and Parks Toolin, '39, retaliated by tying for second place with Stanley Backer, '41, a close fourth. State men alternated with Lester Gott, '41, 6th, and Jack Wallace, '41, 8th, for the next four places. Larry Turnock, '41, was directly behind Wallace. Chester Ross, '39, the seventh and last Tech entry was 12th. In 1937 Mass. State won 23-33.

In their only other meet this year the team was hampered by the absence of its captain and lost to Connecticut State 22 to 33 at Franklin Park.

Sophomores Are Promising
Backer, Gott, Turnock, and Wallace, all Sophomores and veterans of freshman cross country last year, have already shown considerable promise this year and should form a strong nucleus for cross country during the two years to come.

Next Meet Is With Yale
This Saturday the team will meet Yale's harriers in New Haven. Other meets scheduled for the year are one against Northeastern and Boston University Oct. 28th at Franklin Park, the New England Inter-collegiate and the IC4A.

The summary:
Won by Pickard, State; tied for 2d, Crosby and Toolin, M.I.T.; 4th, Backer, M.I.T.; 5th, Rose, State; 6th, Gott, M.I.T.; 7th, Hayward, State; 8th, Wallace, M.I.T.; 9th, Turnock, M.I.T.; 10th, Slater, State; 11th, Scholz, State; 12th, Ross, M.I.T. Winner's time—24m. 4s.

Tennis Players Approach Finals

Bush Again At Head Of List; All Matches Held On Time

With 33 of the original 101 contestants left in the draw, the Annual Fall Tennis Tournament moved into the third round over the weekend with all of the favorites verifying their seedings by virtue of wins over their opponents.

Of the 66 players who signed up for the freshman tournament, 17 remained after the third round had been reached. All but one bracket, which was the case in the upper class matches as well.

Bush Favored to Repeat
Favored to repeat his triumph of last year, Phil Bush, '39, was seeded one, while other members of last year's varsity were ranked behind him in following order: T. Y. Shen, '38, No. 2; John Wholey, '39, No. 3; Dick Braunlich, '40, No. 4; Paul Keitel, '40, No. 5; Bob Millar, '40, No. 6; Bill Bender, '38, No. 7; Bill Allen, '41, No. 8. On last year's freshman team, was seeded in the No. 8 position.

First Tourney to Keep to Schedule
The original plan of defaulting immediately the man in the lower

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M.I.T.A.A. Offers Thirty-Five Managerial Positions

Positions on the M.I.T.A.A. now open to men wishing to be assistant managers are listed below:
Crew: 3 freshman managers needed

Equipment: 1 Sophomore
Fencing: 2 Sophomores and 1 freshman

Gym: 3 freshman

Hockey: 3 freshman

Lacrosse: 1 Sophomore

Publicity: 1 Sophomore and 3 freshman

Rifle: 2 Sophomore and 1 freshman

Squash: 2 Sophomore and 2 freshman

Swimming: 1 Sophomore and 1 freshman

Tennis: 1 Sophomore and 1 freshman

Track: 2 Sophomores and 5 freshman

Wrestling: 1 Sophomore

Touch Football Well Under Way

All Spirits Are At High Peak As Second Round Nears A Hot Finish

With nineteen games having been played already the touch football tournament is well under way and all games in the first round were played on schedule. There are nine more games still to be played before October 23, and spirits are at a peak.

The teams to beat are Phi Beta Delta, Phi Mu Delta, Phi Beta Epsilon, and Alpha Tau Omega, with Phi Mu Delta out to win the cup, which they carried off last year. The game between Phi Beta Epsilon and Alpha Tau Omega, which comes up Saturday, promises to be a terrific battle; a battle between potential champions.

Although a few of the games have not been decided yet because of default on either side, the most of the scores follow:

Sigma Chi beat Lambda Chi Alpha 13-12.
Phi Gamma Delta beat Haydon 21-6.
Goodale beat Phi Delta Theta 8-2.
Phi Beta Epsilon beat Delta Tau Delta 12-0.
Alpha Tau Omega beat Wood 26-0.
Sigma Alpha Epsilon beat Atkinson-Default.
Kappa Sigma beat Chi Phi 6-0.
Craft beat Phi Kappa Sigma 14-6.
Student House beat Delta Kappa Epsilon 12-0.
Holman beat Delta Epsilon 7-0.
Sigma Nu beat Delta Psi-Default.
Beta Theta Pi beat Theta Delta Chi 20-7.
Phi Mu Delta beat Walcott 30-0.
Phi Sigma Kappa beat Theta Chi 6-0.
Mourue beat Theta Xi 6-0.
Phi Beta Delta beat Phi Kappa 26-6.

First Handicap Meet Held Last Saturday

While the varsity cross country men were running at Amherst Saturday, Tech runners at home held their first handicap meet of the year on Tech Field.

Meet Means Little

Because of the handicaps and the fact that at least seven stars were away, the results of the meet are of little importance. Freshmen, out in numbers captured three of the seven events. Considering the first three places, however, Sophomores led in the scoring with 8 of 19 places. Cook, a graduate student, won the 600 yard run, took second in the 150 yard run, and was fourth in the 75 yard dash to become highest individual scorer.

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Handicap

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Booters Lose To Springfield

Tech Scores Twice Against One Of Country's Best Teams

Playing against a vastly superior team, rated indeed among the best in the country, the Technology booters took a 9-2 lacing from the strong Springfield squad at Springfield last Saturday afternoon.

Laker and Miller Score for Tech
Despite the superiority of the Springfield team, the Tech team was able to score twice which accounts for more goals than the team scored during the entire season last year. The Tech line scored in the second and third periods on strong boots by Alex Laker on a pass from Herguth, and George Miller on a pass from Harvie Samuels. However, before Tech even appeared in the scoring column, the Springfield team had put the game on ice with four goals. The Springfield team had a tricky line made up of All-American material.

Teams Fight Even in Last Quarter
In the fourth quarter Coach Goldie placed Captain Laker in the fullback position and his stellar playing there resulted in the teams fighting on even terms throughout the last period. However the exhausted Tech line were unable to take advantage of the many opportunities offered them during this time.

Freshmen Battle to Tie
While the varsity was taking a beating at Springfield, the freshman squad was battling to a 2 to 2 tie with Governor Dummer at the latter's field. The fighting freshmen showed fine spirit in playing against the odds offered, because of lack of substitutes. The strong defense of the Tech team forced the Governor Dummer men to score not only their own goals but also the two goals gained by the Tech men.

The Varsity Lineup:
Mitchell Goalie
Haden Right fullback
Foster Left fullback
Fernandez Right halfback
Reynolds Center halfback
Parry Left halfback
Collazo Right wing
Herguth Left inside
Laker Center forward
Samuels Right inside
Miller Left wing

Tech Dinghymen Outskipper Army

Fall Elimination Series For Vose Cup Is Completed; 15 Finalists

Skippering dinghies for the first time, the West Point sailors were defeated by the Institute helmsmen in the dinghy races on the Charles, Saturday morning, 113 to 43. High scorer for M.I.T. was Herman H. Hanson, Jr., '39 who garnered 24 points out of a possible 24; C. Eric Olsen, '39, trailed closely at his heels with 20 points. Other Technology skippers were Atwater, Adams, Coe, and Schuchard; Army helmsmen were M. B. Adams, Foster, Prann, A. J. Russell, J. R. Sykes, and J. Mueller, of whom Russell scored the highest number of points, 12.

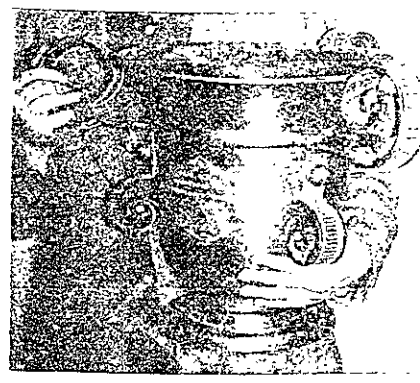
Fall Elimination Races Finished
Elimination races in the Fall series of the association were concluded Sunday. Fifteen finalists will be selected from those having the best record.
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Fraternity Crews To Row Saturday

Wellesley Girl To Coxswain Crew Battle For Beer And Chalice

At least five Houses will be represented in the annual Interfraternity crew race which will take place on the Charles Basin next Saturday afternoon at one o'clock. More may be enticed to enter for there is an offer of one keg of beer and the grand "gold" chalice for the winner.

The race will be over a three quarter of a mile course and will be under the supervision of Crew Coach Cedric Valentine. At the present time the Phi Gamma Deltas, the Delta Tau Deltas, the Sigma Chis, the Delta Psis and the Phi Beta Epsilons have entered boats. Any other house may do so by getting in touch with Coach Valentine before next Friday. The only requirement is that every

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I. F. C. Crews

First Frosh Relay Practice Held On Tech Field Monday

Sophs Will Have To Equal Last Year's Time To Win Race

First freshman Field Day relay trials held at Tech Field yesterday show that the Sophomores will probably have to equal or beat their 4:53.3 mark of last year if they are to win again.

Time for the twelve highest freshmen taken from yesterday's trials is 5:10.0 for the mile and a half, only 16.7 seconds behind the Class of 1941 Field Day mark, with almost two weeks left in which to better it. However, Sophomore time, which can be more accurately estimated after their time trials, to be held soon, promises to better last year's. The fact that these same Sophomores handled the baton in fine shape last year whereas the freshmen are untried in that respect must also be considered.

Fastest Freshman Sprinters

Judging from the trials, the following freshmen are first in line for the '42 team although the remaining two weeks can entirely alter their positions: Silva, Denner, Gow, Smith, Clear, Eaton, Edmunds, Schultz, Knudsen, Rice, Ford, Herman, Simonds, Van Wickel, and Zeitz.

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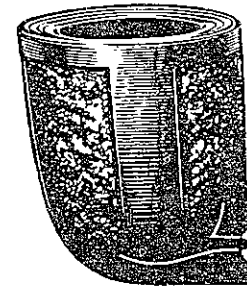
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CALENDAR

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18

5:00 P.M. Peace Federation Meeting—West Lounge
 6:00 P.M. Boston Section of A.I.E.E. Dinner—Main Hall
 6:00 P.M. Faculty Student Committee Dinner—Silver Room
 6:30 P.M. Foreman's Club Dinner—North Hall
 6:30 P.M. Heating and Ventilating Engineers Dinner—Faculty Room
 6:45 P.M. Drama Club Meeting—Grill Room

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19

5:00 P.M. Freshman Council—East Lounge
 6:00 P.M. Senior House Dinner—North Hall

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20

12:00 Noon Mathematics Seminar Luncheon—North Hall
 4:00 P.M. Schoolmasters Assoc. Dinner Meeting—Silver Room
 5:00 P.M. Mining and Metallurgical Society Meeting—Room 8-105
 5:00 P.M. Institute Committee Meeting—East Lounge
 6:30 P.M. I.F.C. Dinner—Faculty Room
 6:30 P.M. Round Table Club Dinner—North Hall

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man who enters shall have rowed once this season.

Wellesley Coxswain

Several unusual features will mark this race, for the Phi Gam boat is going to be Coxed by Miss Jane Lundquist, one of the best coxswains that Wellesley ever produced. Another novelty is the prize of the "Grand Chalice" which is of doubtful lineage presented by an anonymous donor. Rumor has it that this cup did not start its useful life as a trophy for intramural competitions.

Interfraternity crew racing is not new around the Institute, for last year there were at least two house races. The Delta Psis triumphed over the Phi Gams once only to be left behind by the Phi Beta Epsilons at a later date.

Voo Doo

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lenge for a return football game, a challenge which was at once accepted.

About the only item of worthwhile perusal in the entire issue is an article entitled "I. Q. for U." The humor is eminently witty and ludicrous, and the reader is uproariously entertained by its utter insanity. Several miserable attempts at humorous stories take up most of the space, while the remainder is filled with off-color jokes copied from old issues of other college comic magazines. The jokes are of the type which are usually confined to locker rooms and pool halls, and, for a respectable publication such as Voo Doo claims to be, are entirely out of place and in obvious bad taste.

Tech A.S.U. Chapter Host To New England District

Last Saturday the Technology chapter of the American Student Union was host to forty-two delegates from twenty-one other colleges at a conference of the New England District Committee. Plans were discussed for a program for the coming year along three main lines—education, politics, and peace.

Next Tuesday night at eight P.M., a Smoker will be held by the Technology chapter in North Hall. Professor William C. Greene of the English Department will speak on the organization, history and purposes of the A.S.U. Refreshments will be served. Everybody invited.

Handicap

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75 Yard Dash—Edwards, '42, 8.0 sec., Mead, '42, Hensel, '41
 150 Yard Dash—Mead, '42, 15.2 sec., Cook, G., Göttinger, '39
 600 Yard Run—Cook, G., 1:22.0, Corsa, '41, Hichner, '41
 1 1/2 Mile Run—Gow, '42, 7:57.0, Hayden, '41, Corsa, '41
 High Jump—Nagle, '41, 5' 9 3/4", Hamilton, '38, Taylor, '42
 Shot Put—Welch, '41, 48' 6 1/2", Nagle, '41, Hamilton, '38
 Pole Vault—Gilbert, '40, 11.6', Jerome, '42

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to sail for the Robert W. Vose Cup. All other undergraduates will race in the lower division for the William E. Nickerson Trophy.

Next scheduled intercollegiate races will be on October 23—Harvard vs. M.I.T., and the Charles River Yacht Club vs. M.I.T. Grads. The latter race was postponed from Sunday.



Senior Photo Proofs Due This Afternoon By 4:30

Today, October 18, is absolutely the last time that senior proofs may be returned if pictures are to appear in the 1939 Technique. Proofs are to be returned to the Technique office, room 309, in Walker Memorial before 4:30 p.m., according to a notice received from the committee in charge.

Prof. Egerton Will Show Movie To Radio Society

The application of high speed movies to industry will be the subject upon which Professor Harold E. Egerton will speak as he presents the results of his new method of taking high-speed motion pictures. There will also be some interesting slides showing some of the work which Professor Egerton has accomplished during the summer, the entire program being under the auspices of the M.I.T. Radio Society. The presentation will take place Thursday afternoon at 5:00 P.M. in room 4-231.

The pictures will interest everyone, and, although the movies are primarily for the Radio Society, everyone is welcome to attend.

Undergraduate Notice

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Tennis

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bracket if a match was not played on schedule has been strictly adhered to, which accounts for the fact that this year's tournament is the first one in several years to be on schedule. With the exception of one match in each of the draws, which was arranged to be played after the deadline by mutual consent of the players as well as Car Chamberlain, '40, manager of the tennis team and in charge of the tournament, all matches were completed on time or defaulted.

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